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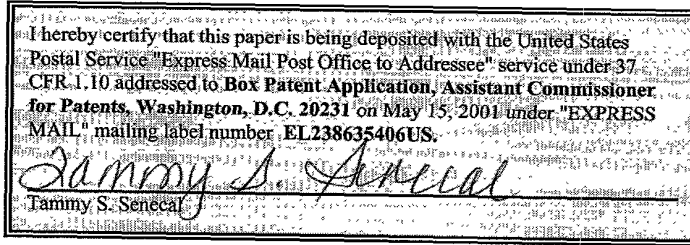
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## NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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Title: Multimode Image Capturing and Decoding Optical Reader

## 1. Papers enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 CFR 1.53(b) (Regular) are:

- 54 Page(s) of Specification
- 5 Page(s) of Claims
- 1 Page(s) of Abstract
- 14 Sheets of Formal Drawings (Figs. 1a-10)

## 2. Additional Papers to Follow Under Separate Cover

- ☒ A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ An Assignment Transmittal and Assignment of the invention to Welch Allyn Data Collection, Inc.

## 3. Small Entity Status

- ☐ A statement that this filing is by a small entity is attached.
- ☐ A separate refund request accompanies this paper.
- ☐ was filed on \_\_\_\_\_ (original).

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## A. Filing Fee

- ☒ Original Patent Application  
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- B. Fees for Claims (10 Claims; 1 Indep.)  
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☐ each claim in excess of 20  
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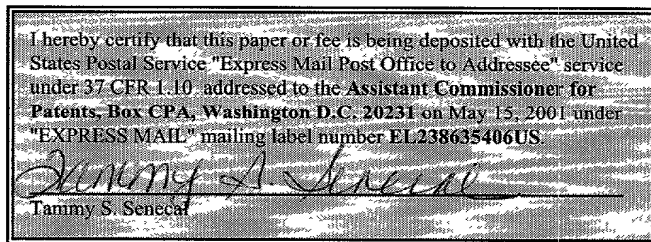
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UNDER 35 U.S.C. §122(b)  
37 C.F.R. §1.213(a)**

Sir:

1. This request is being submitted with this application on filing.
2. It is requested that this application not be published under 35 U.S.C. §122(b).
3. This is to certify that the invention disclosed in this application has not been and will not be the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral international agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing.

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